

30. (Amended) An enzyme-containing granule comprising at least two particles of a particulate component which have a mean size of more than 40  $\mu\text{m}$  in [its] their longest dimension. *A enzyme?*  
*differs from claim 1/Supported?*

31. (Unchanged) The granule of claim 30, wherein the mean size of the particulate component in its longest dimension is less than half the mean size of the finished granule in its longest diameter.

32. (Unchanged) The granule of claim 30 comprising 3-15 particles of the particulate component.

#### REMARKS

Entry of this amendment is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-32 are presented. In this amendment, claims 1-7, 11-25, and 27-31 are amended for further clarity and to correct multiple dependencies. Support for the amendments can be found in the original claims and specification. No new matter is added.

It is believed that the claims are in condition for allowance, and a determination to that effect is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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